

## 4. ONE HUNDRED YEARS AGO.

Dr W. Douglas Simpson sends us the following clipping, which we reproduce in commemoration of the centenary:—

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INTERESTING RELICS.—About three weeks ago, some woodcutters in pursuit of rabbits on the hill of Knockie, in Glentanner, accidentally discovered under a cairn an ancient burial place, covered by a large flat stone. On removing this, they found articles including two bronze vessels, capable of holding about two-thirds of a pint, of neat workmanship, cast in rather an elegant shape, and with a handle on one side; seventeen spear or axe-heads, of bronze, known among antiquaries by the name of celts; from thirty to forty bronze bracelets; six bronze rings, of good workmanship, of different sizes. The whole of these interesting relics are in admirable preservation, and are evidently of Roman manufacture, and so belong, at the latest, to the middle of the fourth century. We trust that the noble Lord of the Manor, the Marquis of Huntly, will take care to have them deposited in some public Museum.